PRESIDENT: Sufficient will mean remunerative.

MR. K. A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Todupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): What is the number of horse power that would be required to keep up the expenses? Or what is the number of units to be supplied so that it will be sufficiently remunerative?

PRESIDENT: That is a very vague question. It will depend upon the distance, the extent of the land, conditions of the place, etc. These vague questions lead us nowhere.

MR. K. A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Todupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): What will be the approximate cost of extending electricity from Kothamangalam Power Station to a distance of 12 miles?

PRESIDENT: That again is a matter for calculation.

MR. K. R. ELENKATH (*Kalkulam I*): May I know whether Government have enquired that the Idiki Scheme could be worked more profitably than the present Scheme?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): I claim notice.

MR. EDAVANATT S. PADMANABHA MENON (*Shertala*): May I know whether Shertala taluk is included in the list to be supplied with electricity?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): Not at present.

Extension of the Trivandrum Pier.

153. ***MR. G. NILAKANTAN** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether memorials have been received from trading firms and others for the extension of the Trivandrum Pier; and

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative, the action taken thereon?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*): (*a*) No; but a letter dated the 6th January 1934 was received from Mr. N. Chandrasekhara Pillai B. A., B. L., Vakil and Municipal Councillor.

(*b*) At present, the Pier does not require any extension and no action is therefore called for.

MR. G. NILAKANTAN (*Nominated*): May I know how far steamers could anchor in the Trivandrum Pier?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, buildings and Irrigation*): About half a mile. But it naturally depends on the draught of the vessel.

Eloor Primary School.

154. ***MR. K. P. KRISHNA MENON** (*Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the Malayalam Lower Grade Elementary School at Eloor in the Varapuzha *pakuthi* of the Parur taluk was abolished;

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative, the reasons for doing so;

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